

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the specification to correct minor informalities by replacing the original paragraphs with the following amended paragraphs.

Please replace Page 14, lines 5 – 17 with the following amended paragraph:

-- FIG. 3 portrays an implementation of a centralized architecture in which a reference for accessing a reference to the digital signature data is incorporated into the start file. Referring to FIG. 3, a start file **302** includes a reference to centralized architecture security information resource file **100**. As described with reference to FIG. 2, the centralized architecture security information resource file **100** includes a cluster information metadata expression **110<sub>i</sub> 410** for clusters 1 to “n,” and a signature location metadata expression **120<sub>i</sub> 420** for clusters 1 to “n” that specifies the location of the cluster signature files **210<sub>i</sub>-210<sub>n</sub>**, each signature file **210<sub>i</sub>** containing a detached digital signature **210<sub>i</sub>-244<sub>i</sub>** associated respectfully with a cluster **214<sub>i</sub>**. In one implementation, the centralized architecture security information resource file **100** also includes other information metadata expressions **130**, such as links to documents describing security policies; and the identities, properties, and constraints of delegates (if any) that may sign an application.--

Please replace Page 17, lines 14 - 23 with the following amended paragraph:

-- FIG. **10** portrays an implementation of a decentralized architecture in which a security information resource file **100 4008<sub>4</sub>** and signature data **1009<sub>1</sub>** are established as attached files. Referring to FIG. **10**, the files **1002<sub>1</sub>-1002<sub>n</sub>** compose a Web Page **1004**. The file **1002<sub>1</sub>** may include a security information resource file **100 4008<sub>4</sub>**. The security information resource file

100 4008<sub>4</sub> includes optional information about signing the Web Page **1004** such as links to documents describing security policies, and the identities, properties, and constraints of delegates (if any) that may sign an application. The File **1002**<sub>1</sub> includes an attached signature data **1009**<sub>1</sub> for the Web Page **1004**. In one implementation, the signature data **1009**<sub>1</sub> may be included as a component of the security information resource file 100 4008<sub>4</sub>.--

Please replace the Abstract with the following amended paragraph:

-- A supplemental television content application architecture, associated methods creating and executing a signed supplemental television content application, and media having instructions for executing associated ~~the~~ methods are described. The architecture includes a signature for a cluster of at least a portion of the application files detached from the application files, and a start file having either an expression or a link to an expression having a link to each signature. The architecture also includes a web page comprising at least a portion of the application files that is coded with an attached signature or a link to the signature.--